

ITALIAN WARSHIPS MAKE ATTACK UPON THE DARDANELLES

Eight Torpedo Boats Open Fire on
Fortification at Its Mouth
Early Friday Morning.

FIRE IS RETURNED PROMPTLY

Two Warships Are Sunk by Shells
from Forts.

TURKS CLOSE THE STRAITS

Cabinet at Once Decides on This
Drastic Step.

WHEAT GOES UP WITH A BOUND

Shutting Off Supply of Grain from
Black Sea Ports Causes Con-
sideration Among Chi-
cago Speculators.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 19.—Eight Italian torpedo boats attacked the entrance of the Dardanelles at 1:30 o'clock this morning. The Turkish forts replied vigorously, sinking two of the Italian warships and damaging the other six. The cannonade lasted forty-five minutes. The cabinet ministers were hurriedly called to the palace this morning, where, at a council of war, it was decided to close the Dardanelles.

Tewfik Pasha, the Turkish ambassador at London, who, on July 17, was appointed grand vizier, has undertaken to form a new cabinet.

Italy Without Information.

ROME, July 19.—The Italian government, according to a semi-official note issued today, knows nothing of the reported action between a flotilla of Italian torpedo boat destroyers and the Turkish forts at the entrance to the Dardanelles, except that several Turkish torpedo boats left the straits to hunt for Italian warships and that it is possible, therefore, the Italian destroyers engaged these vessels in battle.

"The idea that the Italian destroyers would try to force the Dardanelles," the semi-official note says, "is ridiculous. If the Turkish forts bombarded the Italian warships it was probably a result of the panic now reigning in Turkey or was a pretext of the government again to close the straits."

Grain Prices Rise Sharply.

CHICAGO, July 19.—Excited trading in wheat and corn resulted here from the news of the sinking of Italian warships in the Dardanelles, and the closing of the passage. Shutting off grain from the Black sea ports of Russia and other countries meant the stoppage of one of the chief sources of European supply, and coming wholly without warning, set speculators here wild. Wheat prices jumped as much as 2 1/2 and corn 2 cents. After the rush to buy was ended, however, fully half the advance was lost.

Word that fifty-five boatloads of wheat had been taken for export at New York gave renewed strength to the market here in the final half hour. Closing prices here showed 192 1/2 rise compared with twenty-four hours before.

Will Investigate the Forest Service

WASHINGTON, July 19.—An investigation of expenditures in the forest service by a special senate committee is asked in a resolution today by Senator Overman. The committee would sit during the recess of congress.

JEFFERSON DEMOS CLIMB INTO TAFT BANDWAGON

FAIRBURY, Neb., July 19.—(Special.)—A. M. Berry, chairman of the Jefferson County Republican club, has issued a call for the republicans of this county to meet in a caucus in the Fairbury Commercial club rooms Saturday evening for the purpose of selecting delegates to the state convention. It is assumed that the Taft republicans will have everything their own way in this meeting, as the republicans of this county are lining up in splendid shape for the president. Even a number of old-time democrats have dropped into the Taft bandwagon, much to the surprise of everyone.

NEW WIFE OF FORMER CONVICT RETURNS HOME

MADISON, Neb., July 19.—(Special.)—Mrs. Warner, wife of the much wanted ex-convict, Max Von Warner, who is confined in the county jail at this place, being convinced that her husband was all the prison annals charge him to be, accompanied her sister to Schuyler, her home, this morning.

HALF INCH OF RAIN FALLS IN NORTHERN NEBRASKA

NORFOLK, Neb., July 19.—More than half an inch of rain covered north Nebraska and southern South Dakota early this morning. The corn crop was greatly benefited.

The Weather

For Nebraska—Generally fair, except probably local showers in east portion; warmer in east portion.

Hour	Temp.
6 a. m.	62
7 a. m.	62
8 a. m.	62
9 a. m.	62
10 a. m.	62
11 a. m.	62
12 m.	72
1 p. m.	72
2 p. m.	72
3 p. m.	72
4 p. m.	72
5 p. m.	72
6 p. m.	72
7 p. m.	72
8 p. m.	72

House Committee Votes to Unseat Theron L. Catlin

WASHINGTON, July 19.—By a strict party vote the house elections committee No. 3 today voted to unseat Representative Theron L. Catlin of St. Louis, Republican, and to seat former Representative Patrick Gill, Democrat. Mr. Catlin's campaign expenses were so great that the committee held his election to have been corrupt. It also held that Gill would have been elected but for the use of money by Catlin's managers.

The vote was 6 to 3 to declare Catlin's election illegally effected. His majority in the 1910 returns was 1,300. The resolution will be reported to the house today for action.

On the motion in the committee to unseat Mr. Catlin, Chairman Hamilton of New Jersey and Representative Korbly of Indiana, Broussard of Louisiana, Linthicum of Maryland, Jacobway of Arkansas and Allen of Ohio voted aye. Representatives Switzer of Ohio, Anderson of Minnesota and Nelson of Wisconsin, Republicans, voted no.

ST. LOUIS, July 19.—Theron L. Catlin is a son of Daniel Catlin, a retired multimillionaire tobacco manufacturer. He is 34 years old.

Testimony in the contest developed that Catlin's father, through a firm of lawyers, spent more than \$10,000 in having his son elected, but Theron contended he did not know his father was spending the money. His father testified that his son did not know of the expense.

The Missouri law allows a candidate for congress to expend \$500. Mr. Catlin, who was educated at Harvard, is engaged to marry Miss Laura Merriam, a daughter of former Governor William K. Merriam of Minnesota.

Big Butter Dealers Trying to Squeeze Out Smaller Ones

CHICAGO, July 19.—T. F. Gallagher, a member of the quotation committee of the Chicago board of trade, told Master in Chancery Morrison today that there was much competition between butter and egg dealers. His testimony was in the injunction suit brought to restrain the board "from controlling prices of butter and eggs."

"It is a struggle for us to make a dollar now, because we always have to meet the prices offered by other firms," said Gallagher.

"There is a tendency for a few large members or produce merchants to squeeze out the small men, isn't there?" asked the examiner.

"Yes, there is and it is a mighty struggle to stand up under it," said Gallagher.

Price of Clothes Will Be Advanced

NEW YORK, July 19.—The price of clothes is going to be advanced next year. This increased tax on the already high cost of living, is clearly indicated, merchants say today, by the prices named by leading producers of cloth, who have lifted the prices for the spring of 1913 season from 7 1/2 cents to 8 cents a yard above those which prevailed last year, when the values for the past spring season were announced.

Cloth prices are higher for the next spring season, agents say, because of conditions over which the manufacturers have no control. They say that the most important element that brought about the advance is that the domestic wool clip this year is about 30,000,000 pounds smaller than a year ago. The price of wool has gone up abroad, mill owners say that the high scales of wages and the shorter working hours will also have their effect on the increased price of cloth.

Mexican Rebels Killed by Indians

JUAREZ, Mexico, July 19.—Passengers arriving over the Mexican Northwestern from Madera today brought stories of a bloody massacre of rebels in Dolores mountain pass, southwest of Madera, at the entrance to the state of Sonora.

They declared that the vanguard of the column commanded by General Antonio Rojas was caught in a canyon at Dolores by nearly 1,000 Yaqui Indians, and that of 500 rebels less than 200 returned to Madera in safety.

That a force of government volunteers was operating behind Dolores to prevent an entrance of the rebels from Sonora was generally known here, but it was not believed any Yaqui Indians were enlisted in the cause of the government.

FATAL FIGHT IN LABORERS' CAMP NEAR ABERDEEN

ABERDEEN, S. D., July 19.—(Special Telegram.)—James Wilson, the negro shot at Groton Lake yesterday by another negro named Dan Kelley, died at 4 o'clock this morning. Kelley, who fled immediately after the shooting, is still at large. Wilson just before the shooting was engaged in a fight with another negro. Wilson pulled a knife on his opponent while he held him by the back of the neck and the throat. Kelley then pulled forth his revolver and shot Wilson, the bullet taking effect in his abdomen. All parties interested in the affair were members of a camp of negro laborers employed on the Milwaukee double-track here.

CORN BELT EDITORS FOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE

DES MOINES, Ia., July 19.—Resolutions endorsing the woman suffrage movement in Iowa were adopted at the semi-annual meeting of the Upper Des Moines Corn Belt Editorial association, which is in progress here today. The endorsement followed an address by Miss Mary Sanford, president of the Iowa Equal Suffrage society.

George C. Tucker of Webster City, Ia., was elected president of the association at the closing session today. A. F. Patton of Gowrie was elected vice president. A. M. Adams of Humboldt, secretary-treasurer, and Webster City chosen as the next meeting place.

NEBRASKA CANDIDATE MAKES VISIT TO CAPITAL

WASHINGTON, July 19.—(Special Telegram.)—The democratic nominee for land commissioner, W. B. Eastham, and wife of Broken Bok, were in the house gallery today as guests of Representative Maguire. Mr. Eastham has been making a visit to his former home in Virginia, where he went after attending the Palmyra convention.

Nebraska Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—(Special Telegram.)—The appointment of Louis F. Bouquet as postmaster at Peila, Ia., was sent to the senate for confirmation; also that of D. G. Oylee of Brookings, S. D.

TAFT CHIEFTAINS TO MAKE SHARP ANSWER

Friends in Washington Will Reply
to Various Charges of Fraud
Next Week.

STATEMENT FROM WHITE HOUSE
Complete Analysis of Contest Cases
Made in Detail.

COUNTER ATTACK ON COLONEL
Contests Against Southern Delegates
Without Foundation.

MONDELL A LEADING SPEAKER
Address Will Deal Principally
Cases of Seventy-Two Delegates
Made Chief Issue by
Roosevelt Men.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The reply of President Taft and his friends to Colonel Roosevelt's repeated charges of "fraud" and the "stealing of delegates" in the Chicago convention promises to be a counter attack upon the Roosevelt pre-convention campaign. The statement that will be issued from the White House, the final draft of which was considered at a two-hour meeting of the cabinet today, will be an exhaustive analysis of the contest cases and a reply to all of the Roosevelt charges of unfair dealing on the part of Taft's friends on the republican national committee and the credentials committee.

While this statement will not, so far as can now be learned, make any direct charges against the Roosevelt managers, it is understood that Taft supporters in the house propose to attack in unmeasured terms the contests brought by the Roosevelt forces in southern states, many of which were unanimously decided against the Roosevelt contestants.

MondeLL to Make Speech.

Representative Frank W. Mondell of Wyoming, who was a member of the credentials committee at the Chicago convention, will make one of the chief speeches defending the seating of the Taft delegates at Chicago. While his speech will deal principally with the cases of the seventy-two delegates against whom the Roosevelt forces made their chief fight at Chicago, he let it be known today that he would attack the Roosevelt contests in southern states and attempt to show that they had been brought "without foundation."

Representative Barthold of Missouri, who participated in the work of the national committee, will also defend the action of that committee. Senator Root had been suggested as the spokesman for the Taft forces in the senate, but he said today he did not expect to speak upon the subject of the Chicago contest decisions.

Letters of Hanford to Northern Pacific Copied Into Record

SEATTLE, July 19.—When the house judiciary subcommittee met today it heard testimony on all the charges against United States District Judge Cornelius P. Hanford except those growing out of the Seattle, Renton and Southern Injunctions and the judge's alleged effort to defeat the recall of Mayor Hiram C. Gill in 1906.

The committee apparently attaches great importance to the correspondence between Judge Hanford and the Northern Pacific railway, concerning the Hanford Irrigation and Power company.

The committee caused numerous letters to be copied in the record on the assumption that these tended to show that Judge Hanford frequently sought and obtained favors from the Northern Pacific railway company, then a litigant in his court.

The committee also assumed that the letters showed that the judge was the ruling spirit of the Hanford company.

Chinese Republic is Without Cabinet

PEKING, July 19.—The national assembly today vetoed all President Yuan Shi Kai's nominees for cabinet portfolios. As a result of the assembly's action the premier, Lu Chang Hsiang, alone is left in office, and he threatens to resign immediately.

The rejection of the names proposed by the president of the republic was due in part to the objections of the Tung-Men-Hui, the name by which the party of ex-premier Tang Shao Yi is known, to a coalition government, and to dissatisfaction in some of the other parties because of the alleged insufficient representation of those factions in the cabinet. The national assembly also was opposed to some of the nominees on personal grounds.

Prof. Jeremiah W. Jenks, formerly of Cornell university, who recently was offered the post of financial adviser to the Chinese government, has notified the government of his willingness to accept the position. Negotiations regarding the terms under which the American professor will take the post will now be conducted.

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Prescribing for China



Dr. Sextuple Syndicate, L. S. D.—H'm. System still weak; needs tuning up. For your case I have a CAPITAL prescription.

STEFFENS UNDER CROSS FIRE

Author Says He Believes in Anarchy
and Christianity.

KNEW OF McNAMARA'S GUILT
Says He Tried to Get Charges
Against Franklin Dismissed
as Part of Peace
Pact.

LOS ANGELES, July 19.—After a few questions relative to a meeting between himself and Clarence S. Darrow, at which they were joined by Bert H. Franklin, Lincoln Steffens was turned over to the prosecution for cross-examination at the bribery trial today. District Attorney Fredericks plunged immediately into the negotiations for the ending of the McNamara trial.

He asked the witness why no publicity was given the negotiations. Steffens replied that their object would be misleading.

"Mr. Steffens," said the district attorney, "I believe you are an avowed anarchist."

"Yes, and worse than an anarchist," was the reply. "I am a great deal more radical—I believe in Christianity."

Referring to the so-called peace negotiations, Steffens said that during his meetings with the citizens' committee he had never intimated that J. J. McNamara would plead guilty.

Heard of McNamara's Guilt.

"Did you know then that the McNamaras were guilty?" asked the district attorney.

"Yes, I learned that the third day after I got here. I called on John J. McNamara and I learned it from him indirectly."

Fredericks questioned the witness closely as to the status of the negotiations on Thanksgiving day, two days after Franklin was arrested. Steffens admitted he asked Mr. Chandler to go to the district attorney and have the Franklin bribery cases dropped, and added:

"I wanted the whole thing swept clean, so that there would be no more prosecution in connection with the case, in order that the plans for the citizens' committee for new relations between labor and capital in Los Angeles could be consummated."

Steffens said he took the action on his own initiative with the consent of Darrow.

Archbald Must File Formal Answer to Charges by Aug. 3

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The impeachment court which will try Judge Robert W. Archbald of the commerce court, after a brief session today, fixed August 3 as the limit for all formal answers in the case and then adjourned until July 23, without deciding if the trial shall go on this summer or go over until fall.

The National Capital

Friday, July 19, 1912.

The Senate.

Convened at 11 a. m. Resumed consideration of sundry civil appropriation bill.

Senator Overman introduced resolution for an exhaustive investigation of expenditures in the forest service by a special committee.

Chairman Clapp of campaign fund investigating committee announces Hermann Ridder would testify Saturday.

Impeachment case of Judge Robert W. Archbald was called and Archbald was called to answer the charges July 23, the house to present its rebuttal answer August 1, and supplementary answers to be in by August 2, when the case is required to be complete.

The House.

Elections committee voted to declare Representative Catlin's election illegal.

Considered bill the prevent interstate shipment of prize fight picture films.

Convict in Manacles Escapes From Guards

PIERRE, S. D., July 19.—(Special Telegram.)—A negro who was being taken to the penitentiary at Sioux Falls from Lawrence county on a conviction for forgery early this morning escaped from his guards between this place and Blunt, thirty miles east, while the guards were dozing. When last seen the prisoner was wearing shackles on both hands and feet and was supposed to be safely manacled, but managed to get out of the car.

MOOSES WAITING ON DENEEN

COURSE OF THIRD PARTY IN ILLINOIS
Depends on Governor.

Refuses to Intimate What His
Answer Will Be to Request to
Head Roosevelt State
Ticket.

CHICAGO, July 19.—Whether Governor Deneen will support President Taft or Colonel Roosevelt was at the Roosevelt headquarters today admittedly the most important question affecting the third party movement so far as Illinois is concerned.

Upon it will depend largely, it is said, the question whether a third party ticket is to be put out in Illinois, or whether Colonel Roosevelt's name alone is to be submitted to the voters as an independent candidate.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., July 19.—In reply to a letter received this morning from Medill McCormick, Governor Deneen set Monday as the day to meet the Roosevelt party committee, appointed for the purpose of waiting upon the republican state officials, who are candidates for election, and ascertain whether they will support Taft or Roosevelt.

Governor Deneen has given no indication of what his answer will be.

Under the Oaks in Jackson.

JACKSON, Mich., July 19.—Under the oaks in Jackson, where on July 6, 1854, the republican party was born, the first state progressive party convention will be called to order tomorrow. The convention will adjourn to a hall to carry on its regular business.

Word was received today from Senator Joseph Dixon that he would attend the convention.

The impression prevails today that a state ticket will not be named. There is agitation afoot, however, to have the convention go on record in favor of Governor Osborn for another term. The governor has refused to leave the republican party.

Stubbs Asks for Mandamus.

TOPEKA, Kan., July 19.—Acting under instructions from Governor Stubbs the attorney general today filed in the supreme court an application for a writ of mandamus to compel county clerks to prepare the primary ballots for the election of August 6, and to prevent the adherents of President Taft from hindering the work by injunction proceedings. The court set the hearing of the case for tomorrow morning.

The petition is a general denial of the charges brought against the Roosevelt presidential electors, including the complaint that the signatures to the nomination papers were obtained by fraud and false pretense.

Texas Electors for Roosevelt.

HOUSTON, Tex., July 19.—Colonel Cecil A. Lyon here today said: "If there is to be a third party organized in Texas the men who placed themselves beyond the pale of the republican organization will have to form it. The supporters of President Taft are the men I refer to. I am at the head of the republican organization in Texas, and I intend to stay there. Colonel Roosevelt is the republican nominee for president, and our Texas electors are already named and instructed for him."

MADISON VOTES FOR TAFT

Republicans Unanimously Endorse
Administration of Executive.

CONDEMN MOVE TO STEAL PARTY

Platform of Chicago Convention
Meets with Favor and is Unani-
mously Endorsed—Delegates
to Lincoln Chosen.

NORFOLK, Neb., July 19.—(Special Telegram.)—Madison county republican in convention this afternoon unanimously endorsed the administration of President William Howard Taft and condemned the effort to steal the republican organization in Nebraska for a Roosevelt party.

The following resolutions were adopted: "Resolved, That we, the republicans of Madison county, Nebraska, in convention assembled, hereby endorse the administration of William H. Taft and the platform adopted by the republican national convention."

"Resolved, That we recognize William Howard Taft as the nominee of the republican party for president of the United States and we condemn the effort being made in this state to turn the republican organization to a third party movement; and be further

"Resolved, That we hereby instruct the delegates from this county to the state convention to use all honorable means to secure to the election of William H. Taft for president."

The following delegates to the state convention were selected:

Burt Mapes, Norfolk; C. E. Burnham, Norfolk; T. E. Alderson, Madison; C. S. Smith, Madison; Harry Barnes, Battle Creek; H. E. Mason, Meadow Grove; George H. Gutter, Newman Grove; F. L. Putney, Tilden; M. Gross, Madison; Herman Hogrefe, Battle Creek; George N. Best, Norfolk; W. B. Martin, Enola; A. Huse, Norfolk; E. D. Hammond, Norfolk.

Republicans Elect Delegates.

CHADRON, Neb., June 19.—(Special.)—Dawes county republican convention, held here yesterday, was slimly attended. G. T. H. Crook was elected chairman and L. D. Brown secretary. The delegates elected to attend the state convention were H. D. Mead, Alva Slatery, R. Baird, John Howard, J. B. Heywood and George Gorton, all supposed to be Roosevelt men except Judge Baird. National politics not mentioned. Resolutions were adopted endorsing Norris for senator, Kindahl for congressman, Reynolds for state senator and Rooney for county attorney. H. D. Mead was re-elected chairman of the county committee and J. F. Lawrence was elected secretary.

Brandeis' Condition Found Satisfactory

Attending surgeons made an examination of H. Hugo Brandeis at Wise Memorial hospital last night and found the patient to be in a satisfactory condition. Though Mr. Brandeis was very weak following the operation his vitality has held out well and indications are that he will pass the critical period safely.

LONDON DOCK STRIKERS ASK GOMPERS FOR AID

LONDON, July 19.—The leaders of the London dock strike today sent a cablegram to Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, asking for immediate financial assistance. The local finances have become exhausted and the leaders fear that the strikers will be starved into an unconditional surrender.

Rain Ends Firemen's Races.

SIoux CITY, Ia., July 19.—(Special Telegram.)—Heavy rain made racing impossible today and put a quick end to the Iowa Firemen's tournament. All visiting teams left for home today.

Sioux City Publisher Injured.

SIoux CITY, Ia., July 19.—(Special Telegram.)—Frank Evans, one of the publishers of the Morningside Leader, slipped while crossing in front of a street car and was run over. He lost one leg and probably will die.

THIRTY PERISH WHEN DELUGE SWEEPS OVER TWO MINING CAMPS

Wall of Water Fifteen Feet High
Rushes Down Canyon Upon Ma-
zuma and Seven Troughs.

SCORE OF BODIES RECOVERED

Exact Number of Victims Will Not
Be Known for Several Hours.

TOWNS PRACTICALLY WIPED OUT

Damage Greatest at Mazuma, Which
is Near Foot of Mountain.

COMES WITHOUT ANY WARNING

Many Buildings Are Carried Away
and People in Streets Picked
Up Bodily and Carried
Down the Gulch.

RENO, Nev., July 19.—Searching parties from Lovelock and surrounding towns are scouring the flood-swept canyon and hill-sides near Mazuma and Seven Troughs, in Humboldt county, Nevada, for bodies of victims of the catastrophe which washed out the two mining camps yesterday.

Late advices from the scene of the disaster state that more than a score of bodies have been recovered, and it is believed that the death list will number thirty or more.

A revised list of the dead is:

MRS. McLEAN, Mazuma.
MRS. REESE, Mazuma.
EDNA RUDELL, postmistress, Mazuma.
MRS. CONCANNON, Mazuma.
THREE CHILDREN OF MRS. KEHOE of Mazuma.
MIKE WHALENG, Mazuma.
PERRY GILLESPIE, Mazuma.
FOURTEEN UNIDENTIFIED.

The missing:

Mrs. Kehoe, Mazuma.

At Seven Troughs no loss of life has been reported, but the town practically was wiped out. At Mazuma a solid wall of water fifteen feet high swept down the narrow canyon without warning. It carried everything before it. Just how many victims were swept to their death probably will not be learned until tonight when the searching parties return.

Rescue work brought gruesome evidence of the tragedy. The discovery of the bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Trenchard was followed by a surprise when it was found that neither was dead. John Trenchard is expected to die, but hope is held out that his wife will recover.

Seven Troughs is situated half way up the mountainside, with Mazuma at the base in a canyon, three miles away. The wall of water swept down the canyon carrying buildings before it and overturning the Mazuma hotel.

Those in the streets were carried down the gulch and many were cast to safety along the sides of the canyon. Word was received from Vernon by telephone, and doctors, nurses and automobiles with provisions have gone from Lovelock. A mile of track of the Nevada & California narrow gauge branch of the Southern Pacific was washed out between Mina and Keeler.

JUDICIAL CONVENTION TAKES NINETY BALLOTS

ESTHERVILLE, Ia., July 19.—(Special.)—The fourteenth judicial district republican convention assembled here Tuesday and Wednesday of this week to nominate a judge to succeed the present incumbent, A. D. Ballie of Storm Lake. After the ninety ballots Wednesday afternoon they adjourned to meet again August 6 at Emmetsburg. A large delegation was in attendance. The candidates for the office were: Nelson J. Lee of Estherville; F. G. Kirkpatrick, Spencer; A. D. Ballie, Storm Lake; F. G. Harrington, Algona; F. C. Davidson, Emmetsburg, and Fred Gilchrist of Laurens, Ia. Each county delegation remained steadfast for their favorite men and no give-in was noticeable. N. J. Lee had the most votes at any one time, but not enough to nominate, as it requires 33.

THREATENED DROUTH IS BROKEN AT HARTINGTON

HARTINGTON, Neb., July 19.—(Special Telegram.)—What threatened to be a serious drouth was broken last night by a splendid rain of several hours' duration, which was general throughout Cedar county and which has occasioned great rejoicing. There was over two inches of rainfall, which insures the corn crop and will greatly benefit other crops as well. It is the first good rain this location has had in several weeks.

M'NEALLY IS SECRETARY TO CHAIRMAN HILLES

DUBUQUE, Ia., July 19.—(Special Telegram.)—Lee McNeally, private secretary to late Senator Allison of Iowa and